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Rivers answer and mountains call!
The Golden Day has come;
Let every tongue be dumb.
That sounded its melice or murmured its fer
She hath won her story;
She wearsher glory;
We crown her the land of a Hundred Years!

Out of darkness and toil and danger. Into the light of victory's days. Help to the weak and home to the stranger SCROLL SAWING, &c. of Nations are heard in the cheer

North and South, we are met as brothers!
East and West, we are wedded as one;
Right of each shall secure our mother's;
Child of each is her faithful son!
We give Thee heart and hand,
Our glorious native Land.
For battle has tried thee and time endears;
We write thy story.

NOTHING TO DO BUT TO GO.

THOMAS D. JAMES, IN PRESBYTERIAN.

sad—
No haste or distraction to show;
But, with baggage prechecked and with paprepaid;
To have nothing to do but to go. the loiterer, when over the iron-clad track The train is heard coming space, for his tick-t will clamor and urge for his check In a whirt of impatient distress. While others, more timeful, with undisturbed

Oh! thus-I have thought-when we're called to depart
For the land whence we never return,
May we feel we are fully prepared for the start
When the death-counding note we discern.
With our ticket secured and our cares all a

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FETCHING WATER FROM THE WELL.

homely pitcher laden, fetching water of a great quantity of jewels, but also of some valuable papers.

"Well, I know intimately the chief

ey hair, idea youth was standing!—Love rejoiced this house as your home.' see the pair!

"I shall never forget the first avening I sport the sport the first avening I sport the sport the first avening I sport the sport that the sport Gentle words of heart-devotion whispered 'neath the ancient trees.

But the holy, blessed secret it becomes me not tiful moonlight night, and the quiet around its war something.

whom he had served for two years, and low do and histories of then having earned enough money, he had been shire blessed, if his love but light-had purchased a flock of sheep of his had been had purchased a flock of sheep of his had been h While his shadow seemed a glory that across till at last he was a man of considera- what difference is there between a bire And an ever-radiant halo o'er her daily life was one till he was as poor as he was the day he had landed in the country. He then sic fell, what abundant treasure found she fetching water from the well!

See Fetching water of a tradesman in Sydney, and that after he had earned a little money he had

My deafness seemed to melt away, my spirit them for their honey. And sang as in my younger days, "Let angels you dreadfully, it you den't mind." Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown Him Lord of all."

I felt like some wrecked mariner, who gets a yourself."

The preachin'? Well, I can't just tell all that

pews;
And—though I can't see very well—I saw the fully stung; but seeing the boy do so, I failing tear
failing tear

every happy face; Again I longed for that sweet time when friend "When congregations ne'er break up, and Sab-bath has no eyd."

SINBAD IN ENGLAND.

Of Several Curious Insects, Bird and Flowers.

WILLIAM GILBERT.

The next evening on arriving at the

enclosure, Hassan not only found a larger audience than he had addressed the night before, but somewhat to his unoyance Achmet was among them. wearing a stern judicial expression of countenance. But what made the matter still more serious, was that he was accompanied by two Ulemas, or priests; grave, dignified-looking men, of a very venerable aspect. These last caused Hassan more anxiety than he had hitherto felt, for he easily guessed that Achmet imagined that probably he would make some statement contrary to the faith of the Prophet, and in that case he might be severely punished the did so in the presence of the Units. He determined therefore to be very careful in what he said, so as not in the slightest

manner to wound their susceptibilities. "I concluded my narrative last evening," Hassan began, "by telling you that we had just arrived at Sydney. My first anxiety, on landing, was to see the attempt to search for Pierre. This oc cupied some days, as we found that the

engaged a bullock cart, and immediately started for his house. He received his sister and her family, in a very affectionate manner. After conversing with her for a long time on the events of the voyage, he told us how anxious he had been because we did not arrive sooner "I had expected you,' he continued, 'at least three or four months ago; but not having received any intelligence of you, I began to fear some accident had

happened to the ship, for had you re-mained in England, I felt sure you would have written to me.' "We told him of the dangers we had

now, and I hope for the future, my dear sister, you will remain with me,' said her brother. 'And you, Hassan,' he continued, addressing me, 'I am very much obliged to you for all the kindness you have shown my recognite and had not bit the birds. but I formal is and had not bit the birds. ness you have shown my poor sister and her children. Any service I can do for had done him an injustice in imagining you in this country you-have only to be had overrated the capabilities of the name, and if it be in my power it shall weapon, for no sooner had it failed in

"I then explained to him the double again, and fell at his teet. I was natuobject of my journey—the one, acting rally much astonished at this feat, under theorders of his lordship, to show which was doubtless shown by the exthe widow and her family all the attention I could during our voyage, the other to find a villain of a Frenchman, named Pierre; who had robbed his lordship's sister, and her husband, not only

and the breezes of the morning moved them to and fro again.

O'er the sunshine, o'er the shadow, passed the maiden of the farm.

With a chormed heart within her, thinking of no ill nor harm.

Pleasant, surely, were her musings, for the nodding leaves in vain Sought to press their bright'aing image on ever-busy brain.

Leaves and joyous birds went by her, like adim, half-waking dream;

And her soul was only conscious of life'a gladdest cummer gleam.

"Well, I know intimately the chief of the police in Sidney,' he replied, and when you return there, I'm sure, if the villian should still be in this country, he will detect him. I cannot, however, allow you to depart for some days yet. It would be inhospitable indeed if I did not first show you some attention, and besides that, there are many things worth studying in this country. You have already been a great many things worth studying in this country. You have already been a great I did two or three times, and each one At the old lane's shady turning my a well of water bright,
Singing, soft, its hallelujah to the gracious morning light.

Country. 1 ou mave already been a great wonders, but I think it not impossible you will admit that, before you have here a week you will have seen

you will admit that, before you have the pround, and on looking down to been here a week. You will have seen it saw a creature moving about as lar fairies dwelt beside it, in the spotted which curiosities equal to those you have already met with. "I told him I would willingly accept the tide,—
e dripping waters flowing o'er his hospitality for a few days.
"That's right, Hassan,' he said, and during that time, pray consider "I shall never forget the calm delight stated is the truth." of the first evening I spent at the house

retreshing after the noise and bustle of without wings! How dare you attempt own the rural lane they sauntered. He the burthe ship. My host gave me a short deto impose upon us such a monstrous scription of his adventures in the coun- improbability; and that too, in the pres try; how he had arrived, a poor boy without a shilling, and had engaged himself as a shepherd with a farmer, whom he had served for two years, and now do and listen to your statement? own; how these had rapidly increased, own; how these had rapidly increased, have been horrified at your falsehood, their number doubling every two years, A bird without wings, indeed! Why ble wealth. And then there came a and other animals except its wings? To drought, and his sheep died off one by say that a bird has no wings is as gross

started on his own account, and was again unfortunate. He had then deter-mined to relinquish business, and a second time engaged himself as shepherd, Hassan. "I've seen them myself by from which time he had worked his way upward, built himself a house, purchased therefore maintain it is true." tt made me think of good old times, before my head was gray:

The meeting house was fixed up more than they a flock of sheep and several cows, a good Hassan's statement seemed to have a likely and the statement seemed to have a likely and t The meeting house was fixed up more than they were years upon.

But then I felt when I went in, it wasn't built for show.

Hassan's statement seemed to have a singular effect on Achmet. He first loud himself with every comfort around looked at the Ulemas, as if appealing to whether to write to his lordship and in-The sexton didn't seat; me away back by the door;
He knew that I was old and deaf, as well as old and poor;
He must have been a Christian, because he led
He must have been a Christian, because he led
He must have been a Christian, because he led

The sexton didn't seat; me away back by the respecting Egypt, and the manner in move the stolid gravity of their countenances. Achieve, finding he could obtain and poor;
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The instructions had hardly been move the stolid gravity of their countries of them. Nothing, however, appeared to form him of the villain's escape to New

The instructions had hardly been move the stolid gravity of their countri

The long aisles of that crowded church, to find bed.

was past midnight, when I retired to three violent gasps, and again seated bed.

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was past midnight, when I retired to three violent gasps, and again seated bed. "The next morning I rose early, and ceeded with his narrative. wish you'd heard the singing, it had the old-strolled into the country. Presently I

you can put your hand in and judge for "Generally in the trees about here,' was the boy's reply. 'If you like, we'll find one. You needn't be afraid; I as-

fly, and sticking on it a little bit of to a tree, where we found a considerable quantity of beautiful honey. At first, I in my hand, fearing it would be dread-

cing any inconvenience. "I now returned to the house, where I How swift the golden moments fled within that holy place;
How heautiful beamed the light of Heaven from to my host what I had seen, and he told peculiarities of the land will show you some other curiosities in

but went on with his parrative. " 'Another curiosity among the garin these pears. The largest end grows nearest the stalk, and the smallest end farthest from it. I dare say you have

never met with this before in any country you have visited.' Presently we heard a great noise in the air, and on looking up at a distance before us, and at a great elevation, we saw a number of parrots seated on the branch of a tree, chattering together in very animated manner.

show you another curiosity in this country.' Then turning to a boy near him. he said, 'Go in and fetch my boom-

erang.'

"The boy obeyed, and in a few minutes returned, carrying with him what looked like a crooked wooden sword, about as ungainly and useless-looking a weapon as can well be imagined. 'You surely can never expect,' I said to kill any of those birds at the distance

weapon as that?'
... I don't mean to say I can do it,' he replied; 'not, however, from any fault of the weapon, but because I am a bad shot. At any rate, I can try. At the the city of Sydney, was at least a day's journey up the country. No sooner had we received this intelligence, than we weapon itself, for I can assure you it weapon itself, for I can assure you it possesses a qualification that neither the

although I had too much civility to say so contented myself therefore with meresaying how much he would oblige me if he would make the weapon perform been exposed to, and the delay three months for the ship to be repaired at the Cape of Good Hope.

"Well, thank Heaven, all that's past"

it was as obedient to me as the first. ·Presently I heard a slight noise nea me on the ground, and on looking down I saw a creature moving about as large my host said to me,-"There's another curiosity of this country, Hassan-a bird without wings.

"'You're joking with me,' I said. I did so, and found the bird

"And I not only maintain," Hassan replied, "that the duck had no wings, "That fish can fly !" roared Achmet.

"I will not detain you with the de time ring:
The preacher said, with a trumpet voice: "Let saw a little boy who was running about, all the people sing!"
The tune was Coronation, and the music upward rolled,
Till I thought I heard the angels striking all their hard they were, and he told me they were bees, and that he wanted they were bees, and that he wanted they were bees, and that he wanted they were sold they have been and that he wanted they were sold they have been and that he wanted they were been and that he wanted they were been and that he wanted they were sold they have been and that he wanted they were been and that he wanted they were sold they were been and that he wanted they were been and that he wanted they were been and that he wanted they were sold they were been and that he wanted they were been and they were sold they were been and they were and they wanted they were been and they were and they wanted they were been and they were sold they were and they were and they were sold they were and they were and they were wanted they were and they were and they were wanted they were and they were wanted they were and they were and they were wanted they were and they were wanted they were wan

the way home. The bee immediately flew off; and following the teather,—for the bee itself was too small the repenses of ms nying.

"However, Hassan,' he continued. the ship as she stood in the offing, one moment thinking I would return the bee itself was too small the repenses of ms nying. Twas full of consolation for weary hearts that the bee itself was too small to be seen for information. Again, it's possible if and the next that I would remain quiet when it rose in the air,-it conducted us you see them and you should come ly where I was and write to his lordship across a gold field in your own country, for further instruction. I was at length ou would know it when you saw it.' aroused from my reverie by some one "But can there be any difficulty in touching me on the shoulder, and on you would know it when you saw it.' "Very great indeed," was his reply. had been my fellow-passenger to Australia. Why you cannot imagine that you find tralia, and with whom I had formed a "You have been more than nine lumps of gold lying about as you do stones | considerable intimacy. We talked on | hours coming from Adelaide here, he in the desert. As I told you before, the indifferent matters for some time, but said. 'It is perfectly infamous of you pieces of gold are few and far betwe n. at length our conversation turned on the but taken and for a few days, and murder of the French gentleman. judge for yourself. You could go there and back in a fortnight, and if you want deed, said my friend. 'What a pity it diligent for the future, or dread my

to day.

Dear wife, the fight will soon be fought, the victory won;
The shinn' goal is just alread, the race is nearly run;

O'the river we are nearing they are througing to the skore,
To shout our safe arrival where the weary weep

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To shout our safe arrival will soon be fought.

The stones or two atterwards, my host than a minute, and ten hours after this world.

This is the safe of ten hours after the way they advertise for a stank in the safe of the stone

reply in a manner which calmed him, pearance as the diamond fields. I stay-and he again seated himself, glaring at ed there for a week or ten days, work-that he would escape with impunity. Hassan with a ferocious expression of ing with a friend of the widow's brother, know it, in fact, to be the case, for the to whom he had given me a letter of in-chief of the police told me he had met troduction. The work itself was most laborious, and the quantity of gold obtained but very small. It is true that occasionally a digger would find a prize,

mount they might have earned had they een at any other sort of honest labor other he ds of a more lucrative description, but at a considerable distance. These I determined to see on another oceasion, for to tell the truth, some compunctions of conscience were coming over me that I was neglecting the mis

pleased to see me on my return. I re-mained, however, but a day with them, him that as he had just got a valuable and then, with the letter of introduction, sappointment at the gold fields, he did started off to Sydney. The same evening I had an interview with the chief that if he would give him his note of

any hard work. I am not a sufficient

recommendation, both in French and English, all speaking of him in the highest possible manner. I also noticed in the bag what appeared to me to be some parchment documents. It was a large carpet bag, partially filled with clothes and sundry other things.

getting there?' I asked.
"'Oh! he will arrive in a very short some money to put an advertisement in the papers, and a short time afterwards a French gentleman, of rather eccentric character, who resided in the country, " 'Wel!, we supplied the fellow with to the country. I heard nothing more of day it struck me I met him well dressed if you wish it.' in the streets. I was not, however, eer- "I gratefully thanked him, and a fev

in the country, at the house of the French gentleman who had engaged Pierre as a some sixor seven hundred miles distant men immediately, and on our arrival At Melbourne he was rather puzzled found the house in possession of some what course to take, and applied to neighbors. On making inquiries, we friend of the Enchanter for directions learned that the other servants of the who ordered him to start immediately farming man had told his master he knew of an excellent one, who resided about three days' journey off, and that it cupied as much time in going as he liked, he would tetch her. Pierre also proposed he should go, adding that as he was himself a good cook, his master " 'Why,' he said to him, 'I find an or dinary mortal could have walked from one end of the city to the other while

journey, leaving Pierre and his master "'The man, however, was detained more than a fortnight, and on his return It's disgraceful of you, and if I don't with the new cook he found his master's find you far more diligent in obeying or-house closed. Thinking that he and Pierre had gone on a visit to Sydney, he bourne, my friend, your master, shall and the cook went to a farm-house in the neighborhood to await their return.

More than a week passed, and, as they did not come, they became uneasy, and him if he would forgive him that once, determined to try if they could not enter he should have no more occasion to be the house. After searching carefully round, they found one window insecure. "Well, then,' said the Enchanter. By this they entered, and in a short the Frenchman in one of the rooms in

"'On my arrival I immediately commenced the inspection of the house, and found several boxes had been broken respondent, who will give you further

himself between them. Hassan pro- latter case, should be require me to start from the time he had left Adelaide. for New York, I could do so immediate-

ly. This also would be rendered the more easy, as there was a ship which called Singapore; but on no account

went down to the shere and stood gazing turning round I discovered a man who

continued Hassan, "that you hardly believe my adventure. Pray do not come to such a conclusion; otherwise you will hold what I shall tell you to-morrow to be utterly unworthy of being listened to, or as the mere dreams of a madman. Wondrous as were the exploits of the genie, I assure you they sink into utter insignificance in comparison with those you have yet to hear. And now, hoping the Prophet will watch over you, I take

[To be Continued.]

The German Parliament is orthodox; vitness the following translation of an act recently passed by that body: "Imprisonment for two years may be applied to the minister of religion, who, in the exercise of his function, introduces any writing which treats of affairs in a way which might trouble the govern-

HOMESICK FOR THE COUNTRY.

I'd kind o'like to have a cot Fixed on some sunny slope; a spot Five acres more or less, With maple, cedars, cherry-trees, And poplars whitening in the breeze.

'T would suit suit my taste, I guess,
To have the porch with vines o'erhung,
With bells of pendant woodbins swung,
In every bell a bee;
And round my lattleed window spread
A clump of roses, white and red.

To solage mine and me, I kind o' think I should desire To hear around the lawn a choir Of wood-birds singing sweet; And in a dell I'd have s brook, Where I might sit and read my book.

Such should be my retreat, Far from the city's crowd and noise:
There would I rear the girls and boys,
(I have some two or three.)
And it kind Heaven should bless my store
With five or six or seven more,
How happy I would be!

Anonymous.

A DELIGHTFUL LEGEND. There is a beautiful legendl connecd with the site on which the temple to have been occupied in common by

we brothers, one of whom had a

family, but the other had wone. Ou

he spot was a field of wheat. On the

evening, succeeding the harvest, the

wheat having been gathered in shocks the elder one of the brothers said to his wife: "My younger brother is unable to ear the burden of the heat of the day. will arise, take up my shocks and

snowledge. The younger brother, being actuated y the same benevolent motives, said athin himselt: "My elder brother has a family and

have none. I will contribute to their upport. I will arise, take off my hocks, and place them with his, with-out his knowledge." Judge of their astonishment when, in the following morning, they found that their respective shocks were undiminished. This course of events transpired for several nights, when

ach resolved to stand guard and, if possible, solve the mystery. They did so, when, on the following night, they met each other half way between their respective shocks with their arms full. Upon ground hallowed by such as-

ociations as this was the temple of King Solomon erected—so spacious, so magnificent, the wonder and admiration of the world. CAN SUCH THINGS BE?

[Jamesville (Wis.) Times, Rep.] We by no means enter into the

pirit of trickery which is trying to orce Bristow upon the Republicans is their candidate. The secret is this: Certain so-called Democrats of the border states, whose democracy is of that kind which goes in for spoils instead of "principles," have entered into a conlition with certain repubicans of the same character, to homihave him Johnsonize or turn auffi-ciently democratic to divide the spoils between both parties. It is not affirmed that Bristow is now in this plot, but that he would be the only available candidate of such a policy there is ensation of the day is this new discovery among the leading republican Bristow men. Some of them, to be sure, scout the story as impossible and absurd, but the more knowing mes shake their heads and declare

hat just such things have happened before.

HASTY MEAL TAKING. The lawver who stuck upon his ffice door, "Gone to dinner, back in ded "I am killing myself by bolting my food, and then trying to digest it over my papers. At forty-five I shall probably be a broken-down invalid or a lunatic, but in your service." There is also a ghastly bumor about that other story of the host in a New England city, who asked his guest at mid-day dinner if "he would mind eating his pie on the street as they walked along," Bolting down food anaconda fashion, may give one a lit-tle more present time for business. but it will take away from life about as many years as the number of days

aved by the rushing policy of meal o see in the streets of London a monkey begging pence from the public in he prettiest manner for the benefit of his master, an organ grinder. She took a fancy to it, bought it, dressed it in the grandest of raiment, and at fashionable reception her pet was the wonder of the room. In the course of the evening a young lady sat down at the piano, and sang with exquisite soon as she had finished, the monkey, who had not forgotten his former duties, seized a bat, to the amusement

Recent investigation has brought out the fact pretty clearly that Shakown name. It would have simplified matters a great deal if his name had been Smith .- [Globe-Democrat.

Would it? Smith, Smithe, Smyth, Smythe, Schmit, Schmidt. There are several other ways to spell the name, but we think these are enough to knock the Globe-Democrat's assertion into "Smithereens."-[N.O. Bulletin An "Internationalist" apostle was recently caught by some sober, steady

working people in the neighborhood of Genoa, tied up in a bag, and dropped down on a railroad track just before the appointed passing of a train. He was kept in suspense after the blowing of the locomotive whistle until it was necessary to remove him from the spot to save his life, and then he was set at liberty. He left those parts a sadder and wiser man.

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With nothing to do but to go.

Early on a sunny morning, while the lark Came, beyond the ancient farm-house, sounds of lightly tripping feet. 'I' was a lowly cottage maiden going,—why, let

judging from the noise they made, they were evidently disputing on some sub-ject which interested their whole commu-" 'And now,' said my host, 'I will

widow and her family safely lodged in her brother's house, before I made any weapon as that?'

best-made gun nor any piece of artillery in the world can boast of.' " 'And what may that be?' I asked. " 'Why,' he said, 'you see those birds chattering there on the tree. I will cast this weapon at them, and, if it misses it will return to me of its own accord. so that I can pick it up, and throw it at them again should I desire it.' "Of course I thought he was joking,

"And would the weapon obey me i a similar manner?' I asked. "'Certainly,' he replied. 'All you have to do is to throw it in the same way I did, and to tell it to come back to you, and it will do so. Now, try the experi-"I took hold of the weapon, and throwing it into the air in the same manner in which my host had done, it flew off to a considerable height, and

"No, I'm not, was his reply 'Examine it, and you'll find what I have wings. "A bird without wings?" roared Acharound us was something exceedingly met, jumping up on his teet. "A bird

but that fish can fly."

curiosities I discovered in this strange land, but go on to more stern adventures. I remembered what the captain of the Africa, to pass by the eastern side, and I remembered what the captain of the Africa, to pass by the eastern side, and ship had told me respecting the gold crossing the desert near Cairo, proceed fields, and questioned my host on the that way to England, which would not He was then sent to a place called Pe-ed he jumped upon the knee of the "But, my dear boy,' I said; 'take care what you are about; they will sting you dreadfully, if you den't mind.'
"Oh, no fear of that, he said; 'the bees in this country have no stings. I bees in this country have no stings. I can show you their nests if you like, and been palmed on me about the diamond- pensive, but I knew his lordship's spirit called Madras, and during the passage fields, I begged my host to give me too well not to be certain that I might some particulars of these gold-fields. expend any money I pleased if only He told me that I, or any one, could with the probability of obtaining justice take a portion of the land which pro- Then, again, the idea occurred to me duced the gold, on payment of a certain that it would be better to write, and in rent, by no means excessive; but that this view of the matter I was supported the work was very laborious, and ex-The preacher said;
Iknow it wasn't read;
Iknow it wasn't written; Iknow it wasn't read;
He hadn'time to read it, for the lightnin' of his eye

"Being curious to see how he would days a man might find a considerable days a man might find a considerable much like to see one, whereupon he eye

"I remained in a state of indecision, however, which course I should pursue quantity of gold, and then a week might fill the Friday morning, and the ship quantity of gold, and then a week might fill the Friday morning, and the ship eaught a bee in his hand as you would a pass, and he would find barely sufficient was to start the next day-Saturday. to cover the expenses of his living.

recognizing a gold field? I asked.

but I often met with men who had been there for months and who had hardly in any day obtained more than the average he thinks it will be impossible to find was told, however, that there were and then said, 'Well, but he didn't go to

herefore, to return at once to the widow's brother, and ask him for the letter he had promised me to the chief of police in the capital town of Sydney.

"The widow and her family were all in a few hours. In the meantime he

first he arrived here, he was in a state on, and the Frenchman in the night of great distress; in fact, we were obliged went on board instead of Pierre, who to supply him with food from a mere feeling of charity. He then asked us to already prepared outside the town, obtain some employment for him, if we could, as managing and confidential valuables. He remained there concealed servant to a gentleman. "To tell you for more than six weeks, and then took the truth," he added, "my constitution his place, under a false name, on board is rather delicate, and I cannot stand a ship bound for London.' man of business to take a situation as caused me great arxiety, and I rushed clerk; in fact, I won't disguise from off to the chief of the police to ask you, I have been a servant the whole of what steps I had better take. proofs of character, and he told me he was well provided with certificates, which he then took from a bag he carried. He showed me a number of letters of

wrote to Sydney to say he required servant of that description, and thought said he should be in Sydney in the course of a few days, and would engage him if his testimonials were satisfactory. He did so, and Pierre returned with him inhim for two or three months, when one tain of this, for although he looked at minutes afterwards the genie, bearing me, he evidently did not recognize me.

About a week afterwards I received in steps I should take with regard to Pierre, establishment were a farming man and a woman who acted as cook; that the cook had left the house shortly after

the man's return. This being determined on the farming man started on his

open. My suspicions naturally fell on that fellow Pierre. I returned to Sydney, leaving my man in possession of the house, and, after making many inquiries, discovered that Pierre had been the man whom I had met in the street, and that, after having lived in an hotel about a week, he had left Sydney in an Ameri-"Not only can, but do fly," repeated can ship. Of course I sent off word at once to New York, stating the circumstances of the case, but have had no reply as yet.'

The shinin' goal is just award, the race is nearly run;

If your, to the shore,

To shout our safe arrival where the weary weep no more.

Other countries.

Here Achmet half arose from his seat, fields.

The gold fields, my dear brethren, and whispered something earnestly to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney purchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who, however, appeared to had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who had as little to recommend them in appurchased when he arrived in Sidney of the Ulemas, who had a sidney of the Ulemas are the Ulema

his being so well disguised, he was able to take his place on board the ship and

"My friend stared at me for some time New York.' "Yes, he did,' I replied, 'and paid

for his passage.'
"That he paid for his place I admit, and that too in his right name,' said my triend; "but it appears that a tew days afterwards he met a friend of his, sion his lordship had sent me on, to in-dulge my own curiosity. I resolved, also a Frenchman, and very poor, who of the police, and, after fully explaining hand for the amount of passage-money, to him my errand, he said.—

"I know that rascal well. When let him have his place. This was agreed

> " 'In emergencies of this kind,' he said. 'you should act energetically. A ship leaves for London to-morrow by the new passage. Now I have a friend who is a owerful Enchanter, and he, if you wish , would send one of his genii to England with a message to his lordship asking what you are to do. And when you have received his reply, you can take what steps you please.' " But how long will the genie take in

> adopt that course.'
> "I thankfully accepted his proposal and we started off together to the dwell ing of the Enchanter. After he had lis tened to my statement with great pa tience, he said to me,— " I think I can assist you. I have now a genie, invisible to you, waiting in this house, and I will dispatch him at once

which occupied him but a few moments for another city, equally distant, called Adelaide, and there to inquire for the Enchanter's correspondent, who would tell him what to do. The genie's jour-ney to Adelaide was lar more difficult than the one to Melbourne; in fact it oc-Adelaide was the most powerful Enchan-ter in Australia, with a stern, angry

will give you another trial. At a distance of two thousand miles from this house is a locality known as Port Darwin. Start off immediately, withou resting on the way even for a moment

and then seek out the house of my cor

"The genie, after having respectfully saluted the Enchanter, flew off on his

you have been walking a small space of

six hundred miles from Melbourne here

ourney to Port Darwin, and so rapidly ionrney of two thousand miles in less than half an hour. At Port Darwin the dent, and having delivered his message he said to him.-" 'My poor friend, you have a difficult task before you. There will be no longer land to guide you; but you must fly for

more than two thousand miles under the

sea to a place called Batavia.

he arrived in little more than two hours Here another Enchanter told him he was to start again immediately for a town taste a little drawing-room song. As completed the journey in the time stated. collected a large sum. His task endthe genie's latigue appeared to increas for he was at least an hour and a half in spear didn't know how to spell his accomplishing it. From Madras he reached Bombay with one leap. He was then directed northward to a place called Aden, his fatigue increasing to such an extent that he was four times as long in going there as from Adelaide to Port Darwin. From Aden he was sent to Suez in Africa, and from there to Alexandria. had been more than seven hours on his journey. Utterly fatigued as he was, his courage still held good, and at Alexandria he plunged into the sea, and rose again at an island called Malta. From Malta he was again ordered to fling himself into the sea, and not rise till he

reached a place in Europe called Gibralter. There the Enchanter, who resi-

ded in the city, scolded him severely for

Elderly agriculturist to season ticket holder in train: "You don't have no ticket?" "No; I travel on my good looks." "Then," after looking him over, "probably you ain't goin' very



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"We continued to converse in a very friendly manner, during our meal, and the dear home beyond the stars that shine from the dear home beyond the stars that shine for home the shine from the dear home. The shine from the dear home the shine from the dear home the shine from the dear home the

me that stingless bees were one of the judge for yourself. You could go there "After breakfast,' he continued, 'I money for the journey I will provide it.' is that villain has contrived to escape! anger. Now start off immediately by sill show you some other curiosities in the garden.' "I told him I was very much obliged for his offer, but that his lordship had I never knew his match. Why, I never occupy only one minute on the road, A Minnesota girl in the standard of the continued, 'I is that villain has contrived to escape! Lisbon to London, and if I find you far." General smile.